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## STATE CAPITOL NEWS

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SACRAMENTO, April 25.—(UP)—Despite promises of administration leaders, the legislature still was delaying action on a financial program of new taxes needed to raise revenue in the neighborhood of $100,000,000.

A tacit admission that none of the factions was making any progress was seen in the approval by both houses of a resolution calling for appointment of a joint committee of 14 members to "study" revenue and taxation proposals.

While the proposal met comparatively little resistance in the senate, considerable opposition developed in the lower house when Epic members termed the proposition an example of unnecessary "buck passing" that would encourage more delay.

While the legislature, as one member put it, was "dilly dallying around," Governor Frank F. Merriam took action on two important bills.

He first approved a measure levying an excise tax of 10 cents per pound on all oleomargarine and other butter substitutes manufactured from foreign oils. The law was sponsored by the California dairy industry as a protective rather than a revenue-producing measure.

The governor then vetoed the short train bill which would have limited freight trains to not more than 70 cars. Long sponsored by organized labor, defeat of the bill by the chief executive brought forth a wail of protest and threats of recall from southern California democrats.

One more investigation got under way after the assembly approved a resolution to appoint a committee of five to inquire into the "exploitation" of state-owned oil lands and determine ho wstate interest could best be protected.

The senate, generally considered an administration stronghold, refused to ratify Governor Merriam's appointment of John C. Porter, former Los Angeles mayor, to a post on the state personnel board. Predictions that "anything can happen now" were based on the repudiation of this appointment.

State aid in the purchase of homes, such as that now given war veterans, would be extended to all citizens of the state under terms of a bill introduced by Assemblyman J. E. Frazier. The measure would authorize issuance of $200,000,000 in revenue bonds to finance homes "under $5,000" at 5 per cent interest with a repayment period of 20 years.

The assembly counted out 30-hour week proposals when it defeated a measure setting up a short work week for virtually all classes of workers. The senate previously had killed in committee a series of four measures looking toward the same goal, and it was believed that these results would discourage any further attempts of this kind during the present session.

The assembly passed a bill which would set up a dog racing commission, legalize greyhound racing and pari-mutuel betting on a plan similar to that governing horse racing. The state's 4 percent of the betting pools would help to pay old age pensions, under terms of the measure by Assemblyman Clifford R. Kallam, Watsonville.

### Wyethia Club to Hold Public Card Party April 30

The Wyethia Club are making arrangements for a public card party to be held at the clubhouse on Tuesday evening April 30th. The committee in charge of the affair are Mrs. Lotta Bryant, Mrs. Wm. Wilkie, Mrs. C. B. White and Mrs. A. B. Polyanich. Prizes will be awarded for high and low scores and refreshments will be served.

### Donner Creek Will Be Open for Fishing This Year

Chief E. L. Macaulay of the Fish and Game Commission has announced that Donner Creek will be open to fishing on May 30th.

Donner Creek has been a closed stream for many years.

## TRANSIENTS HAVE SHOOTING AFFAIR

### One Man Shot and the Other In Serious Condition At The County Hospital as a Result of Beating.

Frank Jones, aged 29 of Lovelock Nevada was shot in the left arm and stomach on Wednesday night about midnight at the Prosser Creek Crossing between Truckee and Hobart Mills. A. D. Mason also of Lovelock, aged 49, did the shooting with a 410 gauge gun loaded with No. 6 shot.

The shooting occurred during a quarrel over the attentions Jones was paying to Mrs. Mason, aged 34. After Jones was shot he then beat Mason up so badly that he required medical attention.

Deputy Sheriff Tom Dolly assisted by Traffic Officer Chas. McKeen was called to the scene and brought Mason into Truckee for medical attention. Jones had been taken to the Hobart Hospital with Mrs. Mason and received attention there. He was placed under arrest and later taken to Nevada City with Mason who is in a serious condition.

The people involved were automobile transients.

### SERA Moves Not To Compete With Business

The State Emergency Relief Administration is anxious to co-operate in the fullest possible way with growers and industrial and business concerns to the end that the SERA shall not compete with private industry in the employment of labor, according to a bulletin from headquarters of that agency.

At its meeting in San Francisco on February 16, 1935, the state relief commission passed a resolution which states in part:

"Resolved: That relief to clients, who are furnished with opportunity in private industry to earn the amount of their budget requirements as determined by the State Emergency Relief Administration, be discontinued, providing that such employment does not involve their working for more than a reasonable number of hours weekly and, or, daily and provided further that none but adult members of the families be required to engage in such employment in earning the families' budget deficiencies."

In other words, any person who is offered an opportunity to earn a decent living with reasonable hours of work will be removed from the relief rolls.

To accomplish this the local administration urges employers to procure their labor through its organization or that of the National Reemployment Service.

It is further believed that good citizenship demands that a report be made to the local SERA office where it is found that an individual on the relief rolls has refused gainful employment from private industry in accordance with the above provision.

### STUART FLETCHER HEADS DISTRICT SERA

Changes were completed this week in the executive personnel of the district headquarters of the SERA in Auburn, which comprises the Placer, Nevada and Sierra county territory.

Stuart Fletcher will succed Alan Reynolds who is being moved to the San Francisco headquarters. Miss Ruth Brandt will take over the district supervision for social service work formerly in charge of Mrs. J. E. West who has left the SERA service.

Fred Marsh will take over the duties of John O. Miller who has been area engineer for Placer, Nevada and Sierra counties. Mr. Miller will be located in the Yuba-Sutter area. Mr. Miller was well known in town and has co-operated to the fullest extent with those in charge of the SERA projects.

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### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ROLL CALL MAY 3RD

The 32nd annual roll call of Summit Lodge, Knights of Pythias will be held at the Donner Theatre in the Masonic Building on Friday evening, May 3rd.

The roll call is held each year and all members of the lodge are requested to attend or send a message to be read at this meeting. The roll call is open to the public and an invitation has been extended by Summit Lodge to the people of the region to attend this program. To accomodate the large attendance at these roll calls, the Donner Theatre has been secured for this year.

Grand Chancellor Sidney J. Silverstein of the Domain of California will be the speaker of the evening and Grand Chancellor Geo. A. Montrose of the Domain of Nevada and Supreme Representative N. E. Wilson of the Domain of Nevada will also take part in the program. They will be accompanied by a large delegation from Nevada Lodges. Others to take part in the program are Mrs. Dan Smith, Rev. P. H. Willis, Wyethia Choral, Mrs. Lotta Bryant and Miss Catherin Rossarini.

### Donner Summit Open To All Traffic

On Wednesday the Donner Summit Highway was again opened to truck and trailer traffic after being closed since the first part of the month due to the poor condition of the highway caused by the severe storms. While there are several soft spots yet on the highway and it is rough in spots, the highway department are rapidly getting the highway in condition and within a short time it should be again in first class condition.

### Lions Club Ladies Night Is Successful Affair

The Truckee Lions Club held their first annual Past Presidents Ladies Night last Saturday night at their clubroom in the California Cafe with over fifty present.

Easter provided the motif for the decorations with Easter Bunnies and chickens designed by Bill Englehart, Jr. in sizes ranging from a foot to twelve feet in height. Ballons in varied colors to represent Easter eggs were used in the decorations. Sweet peas were used for the table decorations.

President Frank Gaiennie acted as master of ceremonies and various stunts were put on by the Lions during the dinner.

The entertainment program was composed of Miss Lovey Edmunds in tap dance numbers, Bill Englehart, Jr. and Miss Dorothy Filipcic in a song specialty, Phil Lees in vocal solos, Miss Frances Filipcic in song numbers and the Truckee Trio composed of Lyla Parr, Bertha Brown and Bill Englehart, Jr. in instrumental numbers.

Among the out of town guests present were Secretary of District Four Lions International T. L. Larsen and Mrs. Larsen, Past President Seth Longabaugh and Mrs. Longbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neil all of Reno.

### James C. Clifford Fined In Local Justice Court

James C. Clifford of Oakland was brought before Judge C. E. Smith on last Friday on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Clifford pleaded guilty and was fined $40 or twenty days in the county jail. He paid the fine and was released.

The arrest was made by Deputy Sheriff Tom Dolly and William Kocher of the highway checking station. Information received by the officers showed that Clifford had a long criminal record. Clifford posed as a railroad employee and sought to borrow money until the bank opened giving as security a diamond ring which was valueless.

### LADIES AID TO HOLD FOOD SALE FRIDAY

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church will hold a cooked food and fancy work sale on Friday beginning at 9 a. m. at the Filipcic Building.

### POPPY GIRL OF 1935

Ginger Rogers, screen star, was selected as the Buddy Poppy Girl for 1935, and is ardently boosting the campaign to sell six million poppies for the benefit of the welfare and relief work carried on by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

## HIGHWAY WORK WILL START SOON

### Preparations Are Made On Sierraville - Hobart Highway.

Construction work on the first eight-mile link of the Sierraville-Hobart Highway is expected to start soon.

The construction operations were shut down in November because of heavy storms.

Howard Huntley, superintendent of the Central States Contracting Company, arrived last week and is getting equipment in working order.

Rock crushing equipment will be moved to a new gravel-pit on the Miller land, where gravel will be provided for the subgrade reinforcement. Rock was crushed at Shell Point, five miles south of Sierraville last year. However the rock supply is exhausted.

About ten days work will finish the short distance of fill, on the north end of the highway one mile south of Sierraville, which was not completed last fall.

Approximately four miles of subgrade reinforcement was spread on the south end on the highway near Little Truckee last year.

A surveying crew will start preliminary surveying soon from the south end of the highway at Little Truckee to Hobart Mills.

### DAN SALA LOSES LIQUOR LICENSE

The State Board of Equalization has revoked the liquor license of Dan Sala and his place of business has been closed.

The license was revoked due to violation of the state liquor laws. Sala was arrested on April 2nd for violation of the state beverage act and possession of untaxed wine, whiskey and alchol and manufacturing wine without a license.

The State Board of Equalization has announced that hereafter all licenses will be revoked where they find the state liquor laws are being violated.

### Jule Titus and Albert Fippin Married In Reno

A wedding of interest to Truckee residents was that of Miss Jule Titus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Titus of Sacramento and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Titus and Albert E. Fippin of Grass Valley which took place in Reno last Saturday.

Mrs. Erle Martin, sister of the bride and James Fippin, brother of the groom attended the couple. After the ceremony the couple left for San Francisco where they will spend their honeymoon. They will make their home in Grass Valley where Mr. Fippin is employed as civil engineer for the Nevada County Narrow Gage Railroad.

### DIRECTORS FILE FOR RE-ELECTION

Petitions for nomination for the officers as directors of the Truckee Public Utility District for the next four years have been filed by C. B. White and Tim O'Hanrahan. Both Mr. White and Mr. O'Hanrahan are at present directors of the district and have held the offices since the formation of the District eight years ago.

Both men have been very active in the interests of the District and have consistantly stood for lower rates and extension of the services of the District. Judge C. E. Smith is the other member of the board of directors and the present chairman.

Under the directorship of the present board, the Truckee Public Utility District, which is one of the smallest utility districts in the state, has built up an enviable reputation for low rates. The rates now in effect are among the lowest in the state, and there has been two reductions since the formation of the district.

### LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ARRESTED FOR FISHING OUT OF SEASON

Lawrence Owens, owner of the Truckee Restaurant was arrested by Captain J. H. Sanders, game warden, last Friday morning while fishing in the Truckee River near Denvale on the Lake Tahoe Highway. With Mr. Owens at the time was Frank Brummond, local automobile dealer.

It was necessary for Game Warden Sanders to wade through snow banks to reach the fisherman. Owens had borrowed fishing tackle from a near by home and had his line in the river when arrested by the game warden.

The arrest having been made in Placer County, trial was held on Wednesday afternoon at Tahoe City before Judge Bliss. Owens was charged with fishing without a license and upon pleading guilty was fined $25.

### SERA Work Shows Good Progress On Ice Palace

Work on the ice palace under the SERA park project is progressing and a good showing has been made this week. Work is still being done on digging the basement but it is expected by the early part of next week that the rock wall will be started. Rock has been secured for this purpose from the Sanitary District from their sewer project on East River Street.

The job of relaying the sewer pipes on East Main Street by the Truckee Sanitary District has been practically completed and a contract let to A. R. Ghirard to remove all boulders and stone which have resulted from the excavation work.

Mr. Reese, district safety engineer and Mr. Lindsay area safety engineer have been in town for two days and have made a thorough inspection of the projects now underway. The park project was found to conform to the safety laws. At the sanitary district project the men were prohibited from the further use of the old Doyle Dam and the sewer bridge as a saftey measure. In the future the men must use the county bridge to cross the river.

The SERA payroll for the week ending April 18th was $103.50 for the park project, $27.00 for the sewer project and $51.00 for the forestry project. This was a short week for most of the men as cards were received late. There are seventeen men assigned to the park project, six men on the sewer and two men on the forestry project.

### C. B. WHITE NAMES C. OF C. DIRECTORS

C. B. White, who was recently re-elected president of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce has announced the directors for the ensuing year. Those named are: James McIver, chairman; Al. Fontana, Mrs. E. C. Bavier, Miss Catherin Rossarini, E. L. Loynd, C. E. Smith, A. P. Leitch, J. C. Thornton, Wm. Englehart, Sr., C. Edmunds, F. S. Powell and Frank Gaiennie.

## $25,000 BOND ISSUE DISCUSSED

### Trustees Decide More Economical to Build New School Than Repair Present Building.

The public meeting called by the board of trustees of the Meadow Lake Union High School for Monday night was attended by about forty of the taxpayers of Truckee and Hobart Mills.

S. E. Gordon, president of the board of trustees presided at the meeting and outlined the improvements and repairs that the board deemed necessary to comply with the school building laws and additions that are necessary to take care of the increased attendance.

Mr. Gordon explained that they had estimated that it would cost $12,000 to strengthen the outside walls to comply with the earthquake safety law. $600 to strengthen the roof and $925 to correct fire hazards making a total of $13,525 for repairs. For additions and improvements it is estimated that the cost would be $3,900, making a total for repairs and addition to the present building $17,425. It was explained that a new building could be erected for $20,000. If a new building was erected a new site would be purchased and an additional $5,000 would cover the purchase of the land and for new equipment for the school.

The addition that was suggested would increase the size of the chemistry and drawing rooms with an ell extension and change the heating system to use fuel oil and the space now used to store wood and coal would be converted into a manuel training room and equiping the manuel training room with necessary equipment. This it is estimated would cost about $3,900.

Considerable discussion took place and several were not in favor of a new building contending that the present building could be repaired to conform to the law and would be adequate to take care of the pupils who attend the school for sometime to come.

Others considered that if it was necessary to spend $17,425 to repair the present building and a new building could be built for $25,000 that it would be more economical to have the new building.

The board of trustees finally decided that they will take steps to put the matter before the people and within a short time a bond issue for $25.000 for a new high school building will be voted upon.

### C. M. T. CAMP BLANKS RECEIVED BY C. OF C.

Application blanks have been received by the Truckee Chamber of Commerce for enrollment of young men in this vicinity to attend the Citizens' Military Training Camp from July 5 to August 3. Any young man interested in attending this training camp may secure the necessary application blanks from C. Edmunds at the office of the Truckee Public Utility District.

There will be three camps conducted this year at the Presidio of Monterey, Fort Scott, San Francisco, and Fort MacArthur, San Pedro.

Due to the small quotas allotted for training, only the highest type of candidates will be selected to attend camp.

The objects of these camps are to bring together young men of high type from all sections of the country and thereby develope closer national and social unity; to teach the privileges, duties and responsiblities of American citizenship; to stimulate patriotism; to interest young men in the importance of military training; to teach self-discipline and obedience, and to develope the physical standard of American youth through participation in military exercises, athletic games and sports, conducted under expert directors. There is no obligation for future service in any component of the army of the United States attaches to attendance at a Citizens' Military Training Camp.

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# EDITORIALS

## COMMENTS FROM CALIFORNIA NEWSPAPERS

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### JURY'S ACTION COMMENDED

Conviction of eight communists in the Sacramento criminal syndicalism trial was viewed by many California editors as a smashing victory in the statewide drive against subversive radical activities.

The jury's action was regarded, in some instances, as serving warning California will not countenance freedom of speech that goes so far as to urge orvethrow of government by force.

"The verdict," said the Bakersfield Californian, "will doubtless have a restraining influence upon that type of leadership which not only fails to appreciate American citizenship, but which assails the established order responsible for the upbuilding of the world's freest nation. Freedom of speech is a right granted under the constitution, but freedon of speech that counsels destruction of freedom through violent methods should be punishable under the law. And the Sacramento trial is evidence that it can be, and a heartening assurance that it will be.

The conviction, according to the Santa Monica Evening Outlook, "is a wholesome application of the law which will be widely approved. The trial was protracted in its hearing and the facilities for defense and propaganda that the court allowed the accused persons were extreme in liberality. This demonstration that the California law has teeth in it is welcomed. It is high time that men and women who give their energies and minds to promoting disturbance and violence as a means of breaking down American institutions and building communist sentiment should realize the force and strength of American law."

"The stock argument against the criminal syndicalism law," notes the Porterville Evening Recorder, "is that it is an instrumentality of class warfare—that it is a regal weapon put into the hands of the socalled 'capitalist class' to be misused in intimidating and punishing the proletarian class. The verdict of this jury—which was a typical verdict of a typical American jury—refutes these contentions. The jury found that certain of the accused were guilty of conspiring with organization and influences to overthrow government by force and violence. The jury very properly found that those guilty of this should be restrained and punished. And the jury also very properly acquitted those of the accused against whom a case was not made out."

"If anything," remarked the San Jose News, "the jury leaned over backwards in its endeavor to interpret the law so meticulously as to include no sheep with the wolves in its verdict. If the criminal syndicalism law were really being interpreted as sweepingly as communists like to pretend, quite a few red lawyers, editors and clergymen now enjoying perfect immunity would long ago have been on the inside looking out."

While viewing the verdict as a "good omen." the El Centro Morning Post warns "that does not mean that public vigilance should not continue. It is quite notable that communists have the time and energy—and money, to constantly push their program. The average citizen, on the contrary is much like the ostrich with his head buried in the sand of indifference."

Taking an opposite stand, the San Francisco News believes the conviction "will be regretted by that large number of Californians who agree with The News that the law itself is a vicious one and that this is the wrong way to deal with revolutionary agitators. Conviction of the eight means thousands of additional dollars for the communist war chest and impetus to the communist agitation. Also there is danger that it will encourage those on the extreme right who match the communists in their bitterness, and suppression that will do nothing to increase the esteem in that it will thereby let California in for another wave of which the state is held in the east.

### WHAT IS WEALTH?

Nearly all of these rosy schemes for abolishing poverty day after tomorrow come from a false idea of wealth.

The most common error is that wealth is money. But money merely serves as a counter for wealth. And sometimes it only pretends to do that.

Thus it is absurd to think wealth can be created by printing money. As Gen. Johnson aptly says, money made out of nothing will be worth nothing. It may fool people at first, but they soon wake up. Worse yet, flat money tends to destroy existing values, thereby actually diminishing wealth.

Stocks and bonds and checks and promissory notes and mortgages are not wealth, any more than money is. They are merely pictures of wealth which may fade before the eyes.

Personal possessions, buildings and lands, tools and machines, railroads and trucks and airplanes, natural resources —these are wealth. But we may be fooled even about them. Our most substantial form of wealth, real estate, has lost perhaps 100 billion dollars of value in the last five years. Where has that value gone? Nobody has it. It wasn't used up. It evaporated.

As much value, or more, has gone from American securities in the same period. And nobody has that. Where is all the vanished capital? Nowhere.

Our corporate wealth consists to a large extent of substantial, demonstrable values. But seize our business concerns to divide them up, and what have you? You cannot distribute a factory, a mine, a hotel, a railroad, a store. You could distribute the stocks and bonds, but under an irresponsible demagogue they would turn worthless.

Business capital is almost as intangible and elusive as life in the human body. It is a by-product of successful operation, of normal functioning. Start carving it up clumsily, and the corporate body, like the physical body, bleeds to death. Capital value, like life, is more than the sum of the material parts.

## All the Fans Are Not at the Park

ARE THEY PLAYING TODAY? GEE, I HOPE THEY GIVE TOM A CHANCE TO PITCH. WHEN HE'S RIGHT NOBODY CAN HIT 'IM
OH BOY! I HOPE TOM PITCHES AND SHUTS 'EM OUT WOULDN'T THAT BE GREAT?
THE PLAYERS ARE NOW COMING OUT OF THE CLUB HOUSE
GUESS IT AIN'T RAINING THERE. WHAT A BREAK FOR US
LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD
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## CALIFORNIA WHEN DANA WENT THERE

Sunday, December 27th. (1835.) We had now finished all our business at this port (San Francisco), and, it being Sunday, we unmoored ship and got under way, firing a salute to the Russian brig, and another to the presidio, which were both answered. The commandante of hte presidio, Don Guadalupe Vallejo, a young man, and the most popular, among the Americans and English, of anyman in California, was on board when we got under way. He spoke English very well, and was suspected of being favorably inclined to foreigners.

We sailed down this magnificent bay with a light wind, the tide, which was running out, carrying us at the rate of four or five knots. It was a fine day, the first of entire sunshine we had had for more than a month. We passed directly under the high cliff on which the presidio is built, and stood into the middle of the bay, from which we could see small bays making up into the interior, large and beautifully wooded islands, and the mouths of several small rivers. If California ever becomes a prosperous country, this bay will be the center of its prosperity. The abundance of wood and water; the extreme fertility of its shores; the excellence of its climate, which is as near to being perfect to any in the world; and its facilities for navigation, afforded the best anchoring grounds in the whole western coast of America—all fit it for a place of great importance.

The tide leaving us, we came to anchor near the mouth of the bay, under a high and beautifully sloping hill, upon which herds of hundreds and hundreds of red deer, and the stag, with his high branching antlers, were bounding about, looking at us for a moment, and then starting off, affrighted at the noises we made for the purpose of seeing the variety of their beautiful attitudes and motions.

It was ten o'clock on Tuesday when we came to anchor. Monterey looked just as it did when I saw it last, which was eleven months before, in the brig Pilgrim. The pretty lawn on which it stands, as green as sun and rain could make it; the pine wood on the south; the small river on the north side; the adobe houses, with their white walls and red-tiled roofs, dotted about on the green; the low, white presidio, with its soiled tri-colored flag flying, and the discordant din of drums and trumpets of the noon parade—all brought up a scene we had witnessed here with so much pleasure nearly a year before, when coming fro ma long voyage, and from our unprepossessing reception at Santa Barbara. It seemed almost like coming home.—Richard Henry Dana, in "Two Years Before the Mast."

## Legislative Sidelights

The sincerity of Assemblyman John B. Pelletier, Los Angeles, can't be questioned, but there is some doubt regarding John's diplomacy. In one of his characteristic speeches he said:

"I never knew a lawyer yet that knew anything."

Of the 80 members in the lower house, 28 are attorneys.

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Page boys in the senate are called upon to preform almost every kind of a task, but only one, so far, has cast an official vote.

One of the boys was sitting in Senator Dan E. William's seat during a close vote on a non-parisan election bill.

Senator Karl P. Keough, sitting in the next seat, leaned over and said:

"Now when they call Dan's name, you vote."

The boy said "aye" when William's name was called, and the vote was recorded.

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There seems to be considerable question as to the accuracy of the knowledge of agricultural subjects as revealed by members during recent speeches.

Assemblyman Lee E. Geyer, Gardena school teacher, told how he was reared on a farm and knew what it meant to get up early in the morning "and milk a flock of cows. That "flock" brought shouts of derision.

Later, the page boys presented Speaker Ted Craig with a baby chicken as an Easter gift. Said Craig:

"I think he's going to lay an egg."

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The senate committee on public utilities has just completed a vote on an important bill. During the long debate Senator Leonarl Joseph Difani, Riverside, listened intently. The vote was completed and the result announced.

"But you didn't call on me, Mr. Chairman," said Difani.

"You're not a member of this committee," the chairman replied.

Difani left the room.

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Speaker Ted Craig has had considerable success in keeping his "boys" in line.

During a recent torrid debate between Assemblymen William Moseley Jones and John Phillips, Craig brought the argument to a sudden conclusion when he snapped:

"Don't deal in personilities; neither of you is so very hot."

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Objection was raised by outsiders to the term "servant" in the domestic labor bill. Senator Thomas Scollan, red of face, jumped to his feet.

"We're all servants," said he. "It's a silly gesture and I'm not up here to make silly gestures."

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"I know just how the S. P. lobbyist feels when he comes before the labor and capitol committee and tries to put something over," said Assemblyman Charlie Hunt, Los Angeles, to members of the lower house revenue and taxation committee. "He is given no consideration.

The committee had just refused to recommend Hunt's bill to exempt foodstuffs from the sales tax, but had approved a similar measure by Assemblyman Jefferson E. Peyser, San Francisco.

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During the same committee meeting, Assemblyman Charles J. Wagner Alameda, jumped to his feet in a huff and stalked out, protesting he had not been recognized by Chairman Harry B. Riley when he tried to speak.

"You won't find any trouble out in the hall," called Assemblyman Ray Williamson, San Francisco, after him.

"I don't give a damn if I don't," shouted Wagner, red-faced. "I'm sick and tired of trying to do anything with this reactionary committee."

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"It might be a disadvantage for the incombent to be so designated," observed Senator Walter Duval, Santa Paula, referring to a bill which proposed to place the name of the incumbent at the top of the list of candidates on ballots. He has some doubt as to how the public will react to legislative accomplishments this year.

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Lieut. Governor George J. Hatfield's dinner party for the upper house was unanimously voted the all-time prize for being the best legislative party in recent history. Hatfield took over a Sacramento night club, and only invited guests, in formal attire, were admitted. He brought chefs, waiters, entertainers and orchestra from San Francisco. Special bartenders handled the rush in the cocktail room. There was no limit to the amount or variety of drinks, cigars and cigarets available, and the only persons in the establishment who accepted money from the guests was the hat check girl. The dinner everyone agreed, was the finest ever served under a night club roof in Sacramento.

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"Remember," said Speaker Edward Craig of the assembly to a class of school children visiting the lower house, "that the American government has been preserved through just such debate as you have witnessed today."

"Preserved?" queried Assemblyman Patrick McMurray, San Francisco. "Can't we say petrified?"


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# TAHOE REGION NEWS

By Swanee

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Sunny weather still prevails at Tahoe as this goes to press, and the highways are dry and wide. If this continues for a long stretch of time, the snow will soon vanish to make way for the spring flowers and vegetation. A hearty prayer is to wend it's way heavenward on Easter Sunday that the blessing of a warm sun may continue with us indefinitely.

Mrs. J. Boswell of Tahoe City was hostess at an impromptu luncheon on Thursday when a group of ladies dropped in on her for a visit. They included Mesdames Mable Oliver, Hazel Harkness, Gerda Henrikson and Eleanor Swanson. The afternoon was spent in sewing.

Robert Pomin is spending the Easter holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pomin at Tahoe City.

Princess Barbara Hutton, accompanied by friends, motored to Tahoe on Wednesday last, enjoying luncheon at Tahoe Inn. She was greatly thrilled with the beauties of Tahoe and promised to return again in the very near future. And believe it or not, she rode over from Reno with her frietnds in a new Ford V-8. Those who observed her declared her quite cosmopolitan and charming.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Anderson, who accompanied their daughter Kathleen, and Carl Bechdolt and Junior Henry have returned home after a most enjoyable trip to Mt. Rainier. The youngsters, as was to be expected, failed to bring home any of the bacon, but they certainly enjoyed viewing the world renowned skiiers who were present at the meet, learning much in the art of skiing from these assembled champions. Kathleen Anderson, came in fourth in the ladies' down mountain, which was not bad at all. Fine weather was enjoyed and the group stopped enroute to visit friends and relatives. Carl renewed acquaintances with his cousins the two Hartman boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hartman at Salem, Oregon. Another stop was made at Ukiah where they called on the George West family, who used to be stationed at the Tahoe Fish Hatchery. All were well and prospering in their new locality. June is attending business college and Buster is employed by the Fish Hatchery there.

Jack Lipscomb, his wife and baby, will leave this week for Oakland, where he plans to accept a position with the stage company.

Miss Winifred ("Babe") Harris, is enjoying a month's vacation in Pasadena at the home of her mother. While there she will attend the wedding of a girl friend, Miss Agnes Disel in Holy Names Church, who has sought her services as a bridesmaid. Babe plans to return to Tahoe around May 1st.

Mrs. Ed Wagner returned from a trip to Sacramento on Thursday, having been gone two days.

Two delighted youngsters in town this week are Carl and Billie Bechdolt who are proudly displaying to their playmates and friends a picture each received inscribed by Max Baer, the fighter. Billie's carries this "To Billy Bechdolt, a good little pal of the mountains, Max Baer." Most any kid would be wont to brag about that.

At Tahoe Inn last week were Burt Fulgham of Sacramento and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Smith of Flemington, New Jersey.

Bill Cornelisse who spent the vinter working in San Mateo, is back again at Tahoe for the summer, and will be chef at Bennie's inn for another season.

Bill Myers is also in town staying with the Fred Kohlers awaiting the opening of the Tavern which is reported to be scheduled for the first of May, when employees will be put to work preparing for the formal summer opening, with a great deal of remodeling, refinishing and refurnishing reported to be planned by Mr. Rounsevel, who will again manage it.

Mrs. Joe Duffee left Tahoe again for Oakland on Sunday where she plans to remain indefinitely.

Little Walter Oliver celebrated his eighth birthday on Tuesday by inviting all his little schoolmates to share in ice cream and cakes at the schoolhouse.

Electricity and telephone service played tag the first of the week in going off and on, as workmen repaired cables which became wet and made changes in the wiring of transformers.

The second slide of the spring season occurred Sunday. Three cars were caught in the slide among them Fred Planett's which was badly damaged although no one was hurt.

A very nice Easter program was held in the school house Sunday afternoon. The program was in charge of the younger set, Misses Florence and Lillian Vernon and Sue Hinkle. The program consisted of selections by the choir, a cornet solo by Charles Hendrickson and songs and recitations by the children.

Summer residents who have returned to their homes are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mayhew, F. A. Kilner, Tommy Brown of Lake Forest and Mr. and Mrs. J. McCampbell at the State Park camp grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Peckinpaw from Lindsay and Miss Evelyn Dunn of Portersville have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Armstrong.

Mrs. Chas. Swanson is making a ten day visit in Oakland.

Mrs. Stanley Pomin has returned to her home here after some time in the Hobart Mills Hospital.

Mrs Chas Heller of Meeks Bay is visiting in Stockton for the next two weeks.

Donald Cowell is spending a few weeks vacation in Stockton.

## HOBART MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. DeDundas and son, Stanley and Mrs. and Mrs. G. E. McLeod have returned home from a vacation visit with relatives in Los Angeles.

Mr. A. Claibourne went to San Francisco on Friday afternoon to spend Easter with his wife.

Miss Ruth Seibold spent Easter week with friends in Sparks.

Miss Jean Terrill accompanied by a friend from Reno visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Schwing over the Easter week-end.

Miss Alice Harry accompanied by her mother, Mrs. William Harry of Nevada City visited friends in Hobart over the Easter holidays. Miss Harry formerally taught in the Hobart school.

Jack Chubbuck who spent the Easter vacation week at his home, has returned to Sacramento where he will resume his duties at the Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Martin were Reno visitors on Friday afternoon.

The Truckee Hobart road is in good shape once more and it is a pleasure to ride over it.

An attempt was made to open the road as far as the Reservoir on Friday but the snow was too deep for the light equipment used.

County Supervisor Alex Robertson has the caterpillar and scraper at work on the piece of county road running from the turn on the Truckee road to the Sierra county line, near Russell Valley. As soon as this piece of road is open, travel can be resumed to Sierra Valley points, without having to go the long way via Reno.

Frank Wilson made a trip to Incline during the week and found the Lake shore road open, but with a good deal of snow in places.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Seibold spent Easter in Reno and Sparks, where they visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Olson and Mr. and Mrs. John Person visited in Reno on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Howell have moved into the Landrith home for a short time, while Mr. Howell is working in the Hobart box factory.

Mrs. O. C. Landrith and family returned to Reno on Sunday after a weeks visit at their home, while enjoying the Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver and daughter of Reno, were Easter visitors with Mr. Oliver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Oliver.

Mrs. Harry French was called to Modesto on Friday on account of her mother's illness.

Mrs. Ray McDonald and two sons have returned to Sacramento after a weeks visit at their home in town.

Quite a few familiar faces are noticed around town the past few days, due to many of the old time summer employees returning for the opening of the logging camps.

W. J. Thomas visited at the home of Mrs. Hannah Stewart on Sunday coming down from Lake Tahoe where he is employed.

Quite a few Hobart folks attended church services in Truckee on Good Friday and also on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nelson were Reno visitors on Saturday .

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Mack visited in Reno on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Wilson visited with Mrs. T. L. Bonner in Truckee on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Bonner has been quite ill but is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Casbohm spent the Easter week-end with relatives in Sacramento and Oakland, and were accompanied to Sacramento by John Crammner.

Mrs. Erle Martin is visiting relatives in Sacramento this week.

County Supervisor Alex Robertson is still at work on the county road towards Loyalton and expects to continue until he meets the Sierra county workers who are working from the Loyalton side.

No attempt has been made so far to open the road towards Sierraville.

Miss Lucy Otis has returned from a weeks vacation visit with friends in Reno, and resumed work at the postoffice.

Mrs. Mat Cushen of San Jose is visiting with her brothers E. C. and A. D. Murray. Mrs. Cushen accompanied Mrs. E. C. and Mrs. A. D. Murray home from San Jose on Sunday.

Bert Obert has returned to Hobart Mills after a six months visit in Sweden and will resume work here when the season opens.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank Rupert have received the announcement of the birth of a son to them recently at Susanville Mrs. Rupert was formerally Doris McDonald and lived in Hobart for many years with her parents.

**MAROON TWIRLER**

Bill Haarlow, who has starred in basketball, golf and fencing at the University of Chicago, has turned his attention to baseball and is the Maroon team's chief pitcher this season. He is 6 feet tall and weighs 170 pounds, and the big league scouts are watching him.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Viggers and family spent the week-end in Sacramento where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig and daughter spent Easter with Mrs. Craig's parents in Auburn.

Charlie Church accompanied by his boarding house crew who will resume work at Camp 21 have arrived in town and are preparing to move to the logging comp for the summer.

C. Avila while driving the Ford car belonging to Austin Otis Jr., home from Reno on Saturday night met with a serious accident that resulted in badly damaging Mr. Otis' car. The other car in the accident was also damaged but after road repairs were made, the occupants were able to drive the car on. The wrecked Otis car was towed to Thorton's garage in Truckee.

The Sewing club met at the home of Mrs. Ray McDonald last Friday afternoon. The afternoon was passed with needlework followed by a social hour with refreshments. The following attended: Mrs. James Percy, Mrs. Marian McSparron, Mrs. Harry Woods, Mrs. W. J. Caples and the hostess Mrs. McDonald.

Mrs. Martin Nelson entertained a few friends on Thursday afternoon and the afternoon was spent playing bridge, with honors for high score going to Mrs. H. G. Seibold.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fletcher and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dolan and two sons spent the week-end in Carson City, where they visited the parents of Mrs. Dolan and Mr. Fletcher's.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose of Reno arrived on Saturday and took Mrs. Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cross to Reno where they spent Easter.

The Hobart Mills Parent Teachers Association are giving a dance on Saturday evening. The committee are decorating the Hall and good music is assured to all who attend.

A. D. Murray and son, Edwin went as far as Auburn to meet Mrs. A. D. Murray on Sunday, who also returned from San Jose.

E. C. Murray and Harry French visited in Grass Valley and Nevada City on Sunday and later in the day met Mrs. Murray in Auburn on her return trip from a two weeks visit with relatives at San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dolan are leaving this week for Virginia City where Mr. Dolan has secured employment.

Mrs. Irma Atkins has returned after enjoying a week vacation with relatives and friends at Nevada City and Stockton.

Mrs. T. K. Oliver and family have returned to Berkeley after spending Easter week at their home in town.

The wedding of Albert E. Fippin and Miss Jule Titus on Saturday, at Reno was of special interest to Hobart Mills and Truckee friends. Miss Titus is a former resident of Truckee and has been living in Sacramento for several year, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Titus of Sacramento and a sister of Mrs. Erle Martin of Hobart Mills. Mr. Fippin is a former resident of Hobart and is at present employed at Grass Valley where they will reside. Mrs. Martin and James Fippin a brother of the groom attended the couple at the wedding. The newlyweds left immediately for San Francisco where the honeymoon will be spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson spent Easter in Nevada City where they visited relatives and friends.

The Eastern Star Lodge of Truckee will receive the official visit of their Deputy Sadie Tudsburry of Newcastle on Wednesday evening, when a special meeting will be held for the official visit, Mrs. Hannah Stewart of Hobart Mills is the Worthy Matron and arranging for the meeting.

It is hoped that a good crowd will attend the dance at Hobart Mills on Saturday night. A good time is assured to all who attend. The dance is being given by the Parent Teachers association and it is hoped a good sum of money will be raised as the money is for a good cause.

A London chef declares that half the joy of eating an egg is lost if it is boiled too long. Or too late.

Now Harvard has dropped Latin as an A. B. requirement, and that ought to bring in some good football material.


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## NORDEN NEWS

Easter has come and gone as far as residents of Norden are concerned. To the pupils of Norden Summer Elementary School it was a great day of entertainment and fun as their teacher, Mrs. Ethel Thrickle, on Friday afternoon gave the main interesting account of Easter and its significance and provided suitable remembrances for the occasion.

Another blessing was bestowed upon the people of this region last Sunday when Easter turned out to be a beautiful day with the residents taking full advantage and celebrating to their hearts content. The weather up to this time has been very much unsettled and to have the sunshine on such an auspicious occasion was welcomed.

Oakes Hensley of Norden had the misfortune to lose a spare tire and rim from his V-8 truck last Sunday between Summit and Hobart Mills and he would be pleased if anyone finding same would notify him at Norden Post Office, where he may call for it.

Halford L. Hall, who for the past six years has been located in B. and B. 108, at Norden left last Sunday for San Jose where the Southern Pacific Co. have an extensive building program in progress there.

Ernest Brandt and family of Truckee are now making their home in San Jose where he is connected with the Southern Pacific.

The fair sex of Truckee will be somewhat disappointed to learn that Johnny Backarich and Frank Frakes of Truckee have recently moved to San Jose, where they will carry on for the Southern Pacific Company.

Much interest is current lately in the snowshed district over the forth coming baseball game to be played in Sacramento next Sunday, April 28th on the 15th and C Street diamond between the Valley B. and B. employees and the snowshed B. and B. employees of the Southern Pacific Company. Practice has been in earnest for several days, the team comprised of ex-bushers working in gangs east of Blue Canyon are known as the "Snowshed Rodents" while those of the valley gangs are known as the "Valley Felines." A close score is anticipated as much rivalry exists between the two factions. A good time is assured by the manager of the snowshed team, Oscar Anderson while the entertainment committee comprised of J. Gordon Cran and Frank Van Guelder will look after the thirst of the crowd and entertainment between innings. Frank will be there with the "White Owls" while Louis Featsent will be one of the umpires.

Two Allens, who are neither kin to one another assisted in enlarging the population of Norden this week. E. R. Allen with his wife arrived from Macdoel California as he was the successful applicant for third track Norden, while George Allen of Oakland arrived to relieve Roy Thayer of the Signal Dept.

Antonio Antonicelli spent the Easter festive season with relatives in the Bay district. Earlier in the week his home was filled with relatives and friends who came up during respite from school activities from about the bay cities.

A dozen boys from Piedmont were inNorden for several days frolicing in the snow during their Easter school vacation week.

The Boomer family ventured to the floor of the valley last Sunday to gather wild flowers and to get their feet in the green grass which at this time of the year is something we do not have.

William Seitz who had a tough time of the flu recently is feeling much better.

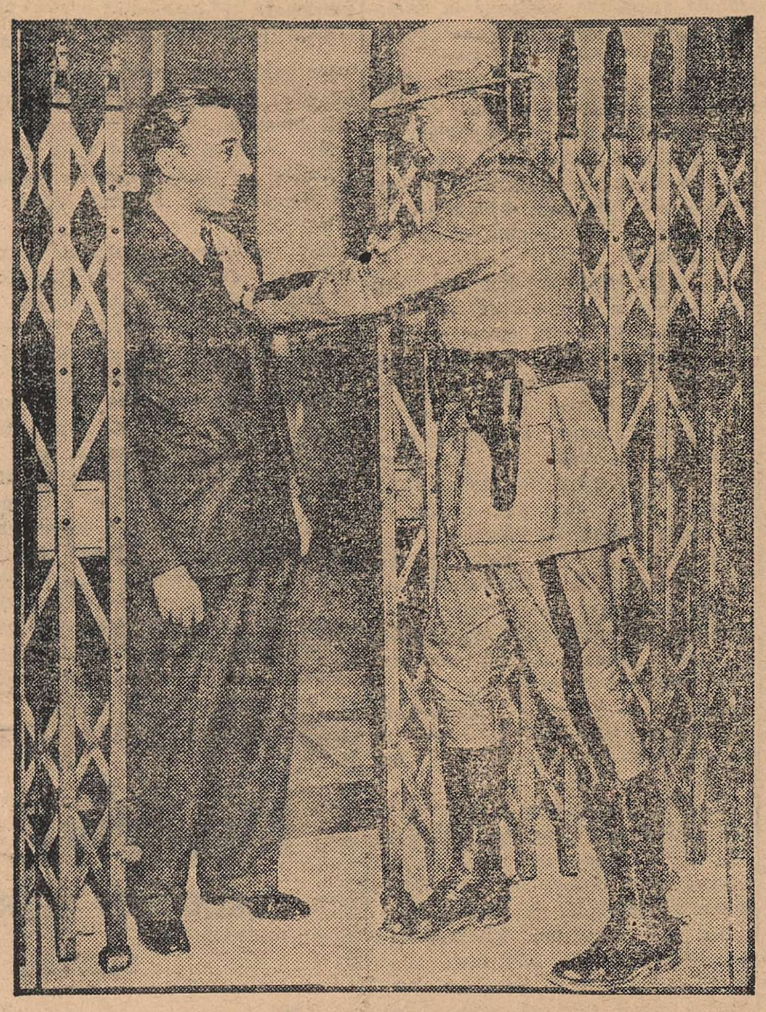
The Snyder family of Sacramento spent several days at their private home in Summit.

Due to a tire blowout last Sunday night the east bound Greyhound stage ran into a snow bank on the opposite side of the road near Donner Highway Maintenance station considerably shaking up the occupants. After some delay the stage proceeded to Truckee.

Sometimes the back seat driver has a husband who manages the kitchen from a chair at the dining room table.

A southern California inventor has developed a machine which sifts and cleans an acre and a half of beach sand to a depth of three inches in 1 hour and 20 minutes.

## Forcing Legislators to Legislate



To keep members of the New York legislature at work and thus hurry up the adjournment, the Democratic leaders posted state police at the doors of the capitol in Albany. Trooper L. J. Van Alstine is seen refusing to permit Assemblyman Salvatori A. Forenza to leave the building.

## NEW PRESIDENT OF UNITED PRESS ANNOUNCES PLANS

NEW YORK, April 25.—(UP)—Hugh Baillie, who has succeeded Karl A. Bickel as president of the United Press, believes his greatest responsibility will be the carrying on of the organization's enterprise "in such a way that encroachments of various propaganda news agencies both in press and radio, may be resisted."

The new president made that statement shortly after members of the board of directors announced the change. Bickel, who had been president since January 1, 1923, will continue as a director and as a member of the executive committee.

"One of the greatest accomplishments of the United Press is its worldwide development as an unbiased, unprejudiced, non-nationalistic medium for the dissemination of uncolored international news," said Baillie. "This accomplishment, which had its beginning under the long-visioned guidance of Roy Howard, was carried on by William W. Hawkins when he was president of the U. P. and was made a constantly greater influence for good in world affairs under Karl Bickel's administration. With the world filled with propaganda, with wars threatened and discussed, with social unrest still a big factor, there is today a greater need than ever for truth, sincerity, and accuracy in the news exchanged between nations. The reputation of the United Press for sane, objective reports—for responsible management with but one purpose, furnishing its clients with the truth, was never higher than it is today. The carrying on of this enterprise in such a way that the encroachments of various propaganda news agencies, both in press and radio, may be resisted, is the greatest responsibility that comes to me now. Howard, Hawkins and Bickel have blazed the trail and built the road. It's up to me to keep it open.

"The United Press is in the strongest position in its history, not only in reputation, in clientele, and in transmission facilities, but in something that is more important than that—personnel. A press association is no better than its men. The U. P. is represented all over the world by American trained newspapermen who have both youth and experience. That is one of the big reasons why this organization has the confidence of 1,300 newspaper publishers the world over.

Baillie joined the United Press in California in 1915, after six years preliminary work on Los Angeles newspapers. He was first appointed manager of the Los Angeles bureau and continued on the coast until 1917, as assistant in the San Francisco Bureau, and manager at Portland, Ore. Early in 1917 he moved to Chicago, and then to New York, where he became manager of the New York Bureau. In 1919 he was named manager of the Washington Bureau, and he held that assignment during the closing days of the Wilson regime. He was on the special train with Wilson when the president collapsed during his League of Nations campaign.

Later he returned to New York as assistant general news manager while Bickel was in charge of the news report, and subsequently became general news manager, when Bickel was made president.

In 1924 Baillie left his executive post after 14 years active editorial experience and switched to the business office, going on the road as a salesman. Within a year he became sales manager, and in 1926 general business manager. His appointment as executive vice president in 1931 placed him in general charge of the entire organization.

After the directors meeting, Bickel said: "I am confident that under Hugh Baillie's administration the concern will continue to go forward, increasing in clientele, prestige and virility, just as it has done without interruption for three decades. The presidency will be no novelty to Baillie, as he has shared its responsibilities with me for the last five or six years."

During Bickel's incumbency, the United Press has grown from an organization of 867 clients to one of more than 1,300. Its service has been extended into many additional foreign countries, so that now it operates in 49 countries and its news dispatches are translated daily into 21 different languages. Its bureaus throughout the world have been increased from 50 to 81; its leased wire structure in the U. S. tripled, and its staff personnel has been increased proportionately.

## BRAZIL RACE WON BY IRINEU CORREA

According to the Tourist Garage local Ford dealer, in an international automobile race recently staged at Rio de Janeiro, Irineu Correa, famous Brazilian speed king, piloted a Ford V-8 into first place; and six of the first 10 cars to cross the finish line were Ford V-8s—all stock models, stripped for the contest according to the rules governing the colorful event.

The race, a feature of the annual "Tourist Season," which the municipality of Rio de Janeiro promotes each year, was patronized by the Automobile Club of France.

The course on which the race was laid out over some of the most beautiful territory surrounding the city of Rio over what is known as the "Gavea" circuit. But notwithstanding the beauty of the "Gavea" circuit, it is claimed to be one of the most difficult roads in the world for an automobile race. It presents sharp curves in rapid sequence, as well as irregular topography with a number of steep grades.

"There were only two kilometers of level road on the whole course," said the report of the race which the local Ford dealer received from the Brazilian metropolis, "and the race consisted of 25 laps, 292.5 kilometers in all."

There were 45 cars entered in the grueling speed battle, representing 18 different makes from Europe and America.

## Used Damp Kindling; Lucky, Fire Didn't Start

MARYSVILLE, April 25.—(UP)—Next time Edward Cummings, local resident, starts a fire in his kitchen stove he probably will give the kindling more than a hasty glance.

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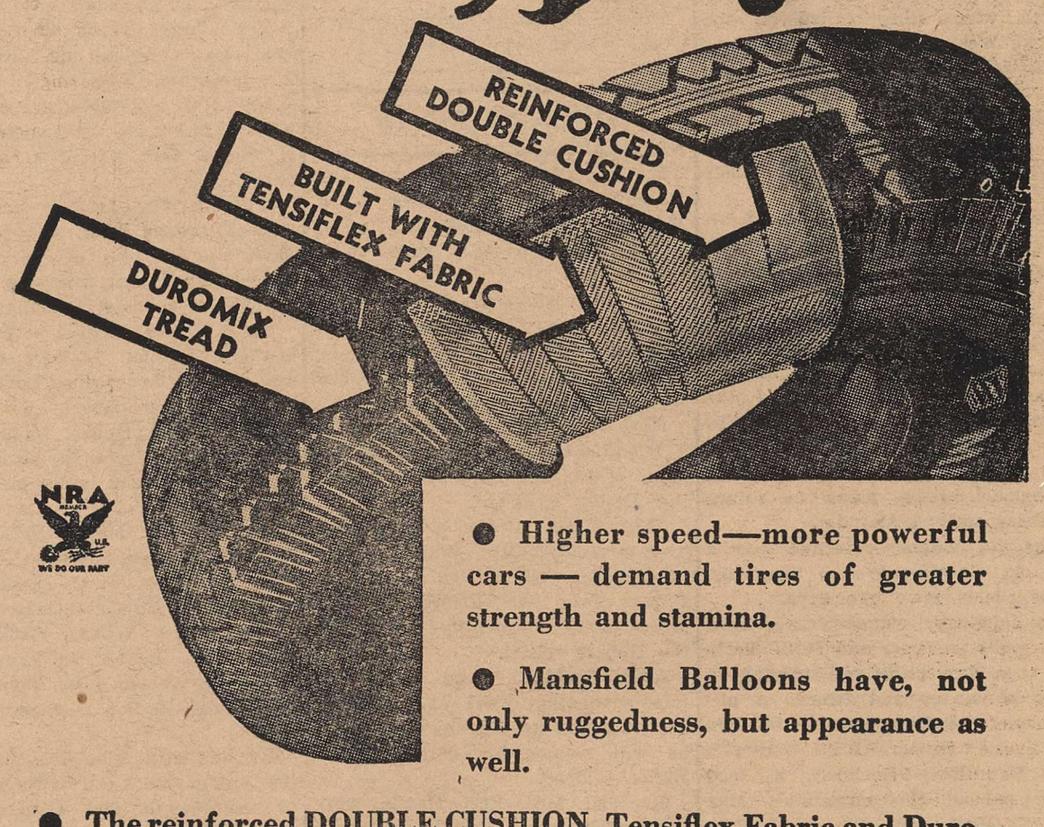


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## Politically Speaking

By GEARGE E. HELMER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SACRAMENTO, April 25.—(UP)—Refusal of the state senate to confirm appointment of John C. Porter, former mayor or Los Angeles, as a member of the state personnel board caused a large amount of speculation on the question:

"Does the governor control the senate or does he not?"

Opinions varied. Friends of the executive insisted the rejection of Porter meant nothing except that a majority of senators did not feel that the former Los Angeles mayor was qualified for the position. Opponents of the governor believed the vote showed definitely that the senate will not go down the line on all administration proposals. Some solons hailed the Porter fight as proof that the senate would not act as a rubber stamp for the governor. Others felt it merely provided a means of "getting even" with Frank F. Marriam because he put them on the spot by advocating unqualified indorsement of the Townsend Old Age Pension plan.

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Previous activities in the senate indicated that the upper house would not support former EPIC proposals, but there was no way of determining how far the solons would go toward backing the Merriam program in all its details, because few administrative policy measures have reached the senate.

Consideration of controversial measures has been delayed to such an extent that the legislature, as usual, will have the bulk of its work to accomplish in the last part of the session. Not until then will the balance of power in both houses be determined finally.

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When the session began in January, it appeared that the senate would be strongly pro-Merriam all the way, and that most of the trouble would arise in the assembly. Since then, changes have occurred and opinions have altered.

The assembly continues to be troublesome, but not just along administration and anti-administration lines. Any time a controversial bill is considered, the lower house may be relied upon for a fight. Instead of bucking the administration, however, the assembly has had a tendency to fall in line behind the program. Time after time, a group of 27 or 28 EPIC-democrats has formed the only force voting for or against a bill.

It appeared, therefore, that predictions concerning the assembly would fall flat, and the lower house although devoting long hours to argument would swing in behind most of the governor's plans.

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The senate, on the other hand, has presented a major question that has puzzled administration leaders. And in the assembly, some of the liberals have shown a tendency to join the EPIC crowd lately and may marshal enough strength to reject the administration budget if animosity continues. The democratic bloc is not very happy about the way in which the administration income tax measure was pounded through.

Observers have quit making predictions.

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If Governor Merriam wanted to show the senate what he thought of it in connection with the Porter episode, he could postpone appointment of a person to the vacancy on the personnel board until after the session, then put Porter in there and chuckle for nearly two years.

The law provides that when an appointment is made that requires confirmation of the senate, the appointee may serve until he is confirmed by the upper house. If Porter were appointed in June, therefore, he could serve at least until January, 1937.

There was no indication however, that the governor would go that far to slap the senate. He said he would submit another name before the session ends.

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Veteran Senator W. P. Rich, Marysville, president pro-tem of the upper house, has had little success in chiding the senators into going to work. During his latest criticism of slow action, he said day, night and Sunday meetings would be necessary if the legislature expects to draw up a revenue program and approve the budget.

During the first six weeks of the session, only one of many important tax plans received final action, and practically no consideration was given the budget.

Despite the apparent absence of accomplishment, however, the legislature was said to be in good shape, in comparison with past sessions, and members were hopeful of concluding their activities about May 20th.

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The strenuous effort involved in debates leading to approval of the Chatters income tax bill seemed to have exhausted assemblymen so completely that they required a week's rest before attempting consideration of other revenue proposals.

Just when it appeared the legislature had swung into a fast pace and was determined to wade through a mass of bills and take action on important tax measures, a slump sent members into a week of comparative inactivity, so far as accomplishments were concerned.

The legislators devoted seven weeks to skirmishing without taking decisive action on any of the many revenue, taxation, budget and unemployment measures before them Unless they stop the clock and continue in session far past the May 15 limit, they have less than four weeks in which to do most of the work they started on March 4.

This situation was indicative of an approaching hectic period when, during the closing weeks, day, night and week-end sessions will be required.

Delay in consideration of revenue proposals was the major cause of comparative lack of accomplishments. Until the legislature devises a program of taxation that will raise sufficient revenue to meet expenses, nothing can be done about state department budgets, unemployment relief proposals and other recommendations dependent upon revenue.

Opposition to the governor's 14-point tax program to raise $150,000,000 for governmental and unemployment relief purposes resulted in a wide variety of counter-proposals all of which helped throw the problem into a jumbled mess of indecision.

Although more than a week had elapsed since the Chatters income tax bill passed the assembly, it had not reached the senate floor.

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Delays and appointment of a joint committee to study all revenue plans with a view to recommending a general program to the houses led democrats to accuse republicans and the administration with purposely seeking to postpone action until the last minute, then jamming through a tax plan without allowing time for thorough consideration.

The longer solution of the revenue problem is postponed, the less insistent legislators will be in their demands to pick certain proposals and fight for them, many agreed.

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While all the skirmishing was in progress, proponents of a gross receipts tax sat back awaiting their chance to throw the revenue fight wide open by proposing an all-inclusive tax plan as a substitute for the various individual taxes recommended by individuals, blocs and the administration.

They believed they could muster enough strength to pass a one per cent gross receipts tax in the assembly. Should this be done, and the senate and governor concur, all efforts devoted to other plans would be wasted and the revenue problem solved, because a gross receipts tax would raise sufficient revenue to balance the budget

Even the income tax bill would be discarded, and the sales tax adondoned under provisions of the Donihue tax proposal which would collect one per cent of the gross receipts of all individuals and firms.

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Governor Frank F. Merriam's veto of the short train bill, a pet of organized labor, appeared to have touched a spark to the recall tinder which was laid by EPIC forces late last fall.

Administration friends believed the agitation would die after conclusion of the hectic legislative session, unless the governor preforms additional acts which are disapproved by labor and EPIC forces. Opponents like Assemblyman Charlie Hunt, Los Angeles, however, insisted they would go through with plans for a recall election in July.

In the event the movement should advance to the stage where petitions were sufficient to make an election mandatory, opponents of the governor would be required to produce a candidate. Already, Sheridan Downey, democratic candidate for lieutenant governor at the last election has been mentioned but he refused to take the suggestion seriously.

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Legislative prognosticators are having more difficulty each week, due to unexpected developments. The senate, for example, came within a vote of approving a bill to make all state officers except governor non-partisan. This was one of of the most radical of several proposed election changes, and would have nearly eliminated the party system so far as state politics were concerned.

That was just one evidence of changing attitudes and opinions. When the legislature convened in January, observes agreed that the senate would swing along with the administration, but the assembly would kick over the traces. Later developments showed almost the opposite to be true, and now nobody knows exactly what to expect.

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Private Joe Moloney waited 18 years for the opportunity to give orders to Captain Walter Garrison.

They were in the same outfit in 1917, and naturally Private Joe took orders from Captain Walter.

Now, Moloney is sergent-at-arms in the California assembly Garrison is a colonel

Colonel Garrison was standing in the assembly foyer with his hat on. "Colonel," said Moloney, "take off your hat. You know better than to have your hat on while the house is in session."

"I'll bet you've been waiting ever since 1917 to tell me something like that, Joe," said the colonel, removing his hat.

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FOUND: Pocketbook with sum of money in Masonic Hall Friday evening. Owner may have same by calling at the Sierra Sun Office.

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Hotels can recognize a bachelor. He thinks he isn't getting his money's worth if he doesn't leave his room in a mess.

## Mr. Garner Meets a Lord Mayor

Vice President John M. Garner is here seen with a distinguished visitor from overseas who stepped into the Capitol at Washington to chat with the gentleman from Uvalde. He is Rt. Hon. Alderman Alfred Byrne, lord mayor of Dublin, Irish Free State.

## At the Churches

**Catholic Church**
MASS
Truckee ..... 9 a. m.

**M. E. Church**
Sunday School ..... 10 A. M.
Church ..... 11 A. M.

**Christian Science**

"God will redeem my soul from the power of the grave: for he shall receive me." These words from Psalms comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, April 28, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The subject of the Lesson Sermon will be "Probation after Death". Included among the Scriptural selections will be: "For whether we live, we live unto the Lord: and whether we die, we die unto the Lord: whether we live therefore, or die, we are the Lord's. For to this end Christ both died, and rose, and revived, that he might be Lord both of the dead and living" (Romans 14: 8, 9.)

The following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included: "Earth's prepartory school must be improved to the utmost. . . If the belief in death were obliterated, and the understanding obtained that there is no death, this would be a 'tree of life,' known by its fruits" (pp. 486 426.)

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FOUND: Pair of bifocal glasses near Rossarini's store. Owner may have same by proving ownership and paying for this advertisement.

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## Relief Recipient Returns Aid Received From County

ORVILLE, Cal., April 25.—(UP)—When a county is reimbursed by the recipient of aid from public funds, such action deserves prompt acknowledgement, according to Chairman R. E. Fields of the Butte board of supervisors.

Fields made known his views in ordering the board's clerk to mail a receipt for $1.50 to D. J. Cole of Alturas. Cole sent a money order getting work. for that amount to the board explaining he had received the sum a month before from Butte county while looking for a job.

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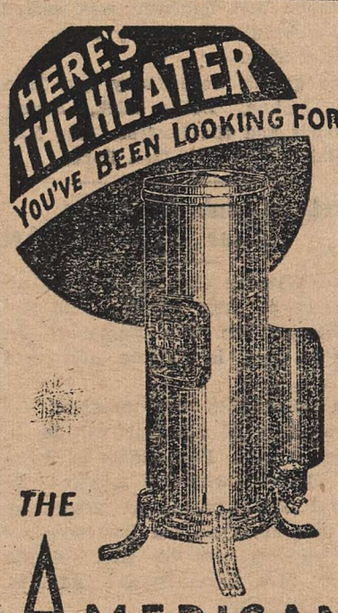

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# City News in Brief

PHONE 161

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brummond were called to Santa Ana by the death of Mrs. Brummond's brother, D. J. Palmer. Mr. Palmer was hit by a truck while riding a bicycle along the highway.

Mrs. Ermine Schroeder, night telephone operator at the local telephone office and Chas, Picard, night clerk at the Hotel Riverside were married recently in Reno.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the Parsonage at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tonini and son, Daryl of Portola visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tonini on Sunday.

Wm. Wilkie has entered the employ of the Sierra Pacific Power Company.

Miss Rose Mattos is at her home in town for the spring vacation from her studies in Sacramento.

Calivada Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft held a social after their meeting on Tuesday evening. Cards were enjoyed by the members with Mrs. P. R. Nelson winning first prize. Refreshments were served in conclusion.

Jake Cuneo has returned from a visit in Calistoga Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thornton visited last week with Mr. Thornton's mother who is a patient at the St. Helena Sanitorium.

Miss Leona Keenan has entered the employ of the Sierra Tavern.

Judge Geo. L. Jones of Nevada City was a business visitor in town on Monday.

Chamber of Commerce luncheon will be held at the California Restaurant on Monday noon, April 29.

Grover Young has returned from the Southern Pacific Hospital in San Francisco where he has been receiving medical attention.

Mrs. Edith Fay has returned to her home from Oakland where she has been receiving medical attention and is improved in health.

Jos. Zorich has returned from a several days visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. Lyle Smith and daughter Nina Mae have returned from a two weeks visit in Sacramento.

Carl Smith spent the Easter week-end with Mrs. Smith in San Francisco.

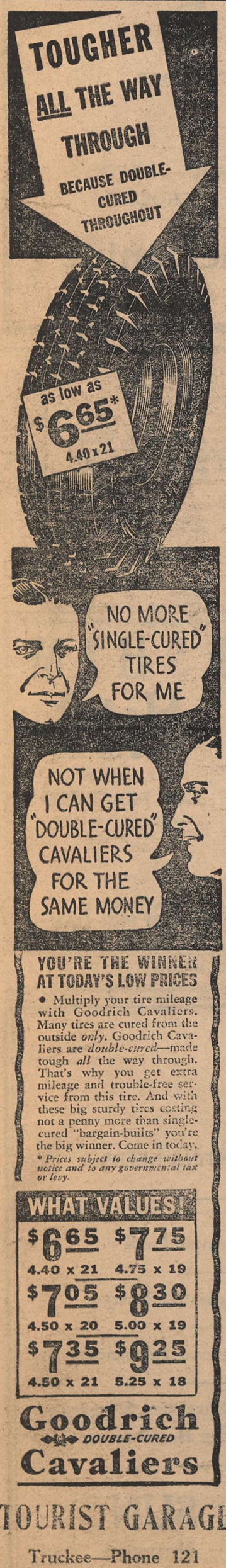
W. E. Coffman, architect from Sacramento was a business caller in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Nelson have returned from Vallejo where they spent a week's vacation with their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Murray.

Mrs. Jack Wolert has returned from a visit to Lathrop. She was accompanied on her return by her mother, Mrs. Gilman.

Miss Mareen Kilgore has returned to her home in Reno after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. P. H. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Titus and son, Frank returned on Monday from Berkeley where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Titus.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## Deputy Grand Matron To Instruct Officers of Chapter

Tentative plans are being made for a visit from Mrs. Sadie Tursbury, deputy grand matron of the eighth district Order of Eastern Star to Truckee Chapter on Wednesday evening, May 1st.

The deputy grand matron will conduct a school of instruction for the officers of Truckee Chapter in preparation for the official visit of the Grand Matron in June.

## Petition For Probate of Will Of Late Bertha Hope Filed

A petition for the probate of the will of the late Bertha Hope, widow of the late Charles Hope has been filed in the superior court at Nevada City by A. B. Polyanich who is named executor of the will.

The estate is valued at about $12,000 and is bequeathed to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Polyanich and daughter Frances June. Frances June Polyanich is given the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. stock and five diamonds. The properyt to be held in trust until she is 18 years of age. The dividends of the stock are to be used for her education. Marcia Burchell of Ogden, Utah, a sister-in-law, is given eighty shares of Hearst Publication stock. Mrs. Polyanich is willed all real estate in Truckee, consisting of a residence on River Street, a building on Main Street known as the Coffee Shop and four garages and one cabin. Polyanich is given the residue.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

for two members of
Board of Directors
TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Truckee Public Utility District, county of Nevada, State of California, that an election for members of the Board of Directors of this District will be held on Tuesday, May 7, 1935 in the Court Room of the Justice of the Peace, Hotel Riverside, Bridge St., Truckee.

There are two members of the Board to be elected.

The polls will be open at 6 o'clock a. m. and kept open until 7 o'clock p. m. of said day.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are: F. S. Powell, inspector; Mrs. A. Ashton, Judge; Mrs. E. F. Loehr, clerk; Mrs. C. Bick, clerk and Mrs. C. Wood, clerk.

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No. 3597

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Bertha Hope, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Friday, the 3rd day of May 1935, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, has been appointed by me as the time and place for proving the Will of said Bertha Hope deceased, and for hearing the application of A. B. Polyanich for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated April 17, 1935.

R. N. McCormack, Clerk
Jones and Finnogan, Nevada City, Calif. Attorneys for Petitioner.

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## Churches Have Large Attendance On Easter

The Methodist and Catholic Church in common with other churches were filled to overflowing at their Easter Sunday services.

At the Methodist Church the cantata "The First Easter" was beautifully rendered and the choir and Mrs. Geo. Kamp the accompanist deserve great credit for their excellent work. Rev. Willis had as the subject of his sermon "The Power of an Endless Life." The church was attractively decorated with flowers sent by the Flower Lovers Club of San Diego.

At the Catholic Church special Easter services were held and Easter music was sung by the choir.

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## Legal Length of Game Fish Raised to 6 Inches

SACRAMENTO, April 25.—(UP)—Shamefaced sportsmen, who as a last resort take home five-inch trout for lack of a better catch, will have to work harder to supply the frying pan.

Under a bill conceded legislative passage, the limit on the size of trout and whitefish was raised to six inches. The measure was urged as a conservation movement and to save the faces of those fishermen who find it difficult to reach California spots where the "big ones" lurk.

## Frances Domini Hostess At Birthday Party

Little Miss Frances Domini was the hostess to a group of friends on Wednesday afternoon in celebration of her fourth birthday. The children enjoyed games during the afternoon and luncheon was served with a beautiful birthday cake with four candles.

The guests were Patsy and Marlene Mahne, Betty Bick, Sonny Richards and the hostess. Also Mrs. A. Mahne and Mrs. Geo. Pace.

## Wyethia Club Members Hear Talk On Art

The Wyethia club had a good attendance at their meeting held last Thursday when Wm. Englehart, Jr. gave a most interesting illustrated talk on art.

On May 16th the program for the meeting of the club will be in charge of Mrs. Phil Blume of Reno. Mrs. Blume will be assisted by several Reno people in presenting the program. The tea hostesses for this meeting will be Mrs. Georgia Follett, Mrs. Lotta Bryant and Mrs. Wm. Englehart.

## NEVADA WATER MAY BE NORMAL

Professor H. P. Boardman of the University of Nevada says that Western Nevada rivers should have practically a normal flow this summer. Professor Boardman is completing his snow survey figures and bases this preliminary forecast on figures already compiled.

Late heavy storms interfered with the surveys. He forcasts a rise of 2.14 feet during the Spring of Lake Tahoe, compared with a normal rise of 1.67 feet. This rise will bring the lake level to 6,224.18 feet above sea level, which is six inches higher than the maximum last year.

The preliminary estimates fix the run-off for the Truckee River for the April-July period at 320,000 acre feet, practically normal. The usual water shortage is looked for early in August.

A bungalow which slowly revolves has been designed by an American architect. When unwelcome visitors are sighted coming up the garden path, the owner can accelerate so quickly that the whole house immediately becomes a baffling blur.

## Annual Striped Bass Event To Be Held On May 5

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal. April 25—Northern California sportsmen, through the Marin Rod and Gun club of San Rafael, have extended an invitation to all sportsmen-conservationists of the state to participate in their second annual Striped Bass carnival, to be held at McNear's beach, Martin county. One year ago 17,000 conservationists attended their first carnival and arrangements are being made to entertain between 30,000 and 40,000 persons on May 5th, the date of the affair.

In extending the invitation to sportsmen, Charlie Kenyon, club secretary, in his letter directed to the Fish & Game Development Association, pointed out that the program begins just before noon and runs until dusk. A mammoth boat parade, with hundreds of decorated vessels participating, will form at Marin Islands. There will be bands, drum corps and orchestras furnishing the music. A water carnival, races, bathing revue, fireworks display and similar events are programmed.

Northern, central and southern California sportsmen conservationists are cooperating in staging and supporting the affair, according to L. I. Herrington, secretary of the statewide association and member of the executive committee in charge.

## Tourist Garage Delivers Three New Ford Cars

Thornton's Tourist Garage has made delivery of three Ford V-8 cars to local business men. E. L. Loynd of the Truckee Drug, Al. Fontana of the Fontana Laundry and Carl Weeks, of the Highway Department are the purchasers.

## Students Come Far To Junior College

SACRAMENTO, April 25.—(UP)—Sacramento junior college draws its students from a large territory, a report of the school registrar reveals.

Included in the enrollment for the present semester are students from two foreign countries, 24 states and 46 of the state's 58 counties. The foreign countries are Japan and the Philippine islands.

Among the states, Oregon leads with 20 while seven are registered from Washington and four from Iowa.

## Old Resident Finds He Is Not A Citizen

LAKEPORT, Cal., April 25.—(UP)—For 66 years, Dr. Henry Bernhardt Weiter, 87, of Lower Lake, enjoyed the rights of American citizenship—but he wasn't a citizen.

Dr. Weiter so informed Federal Judge A. F. St. Sure in applying for naturalization papers at San Francisco recently. He also served as mayor of an eastern city, Dr. Weiter said.

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HAVANA NIGHT-LIFE IN FILM

The Paramount company filming "Rumba," which stars George Raft and Carole Lombard and comes Sunday, April 28th to the Donner Theatre, couldn't go to Havana, so Paramount brought Havana to Hollywood.

Reproductions of six of the Cuban capital's most notable "night spots" were constructed on the Paramount lot by a crew of five hundred carpenters and artisans. They include such famous places as the San Souci, Chateau Madre, the Casino and the National Lottery Place.

"DEVIL DOGS" COMING

All the players and company aids working on the Cosmopolitan production, "Devil Dogs of the Air," released by Warner Bros. which comes to the Donner Theatre on Wednesday, May 1st, had to learn to ride a bicycle during the making of the picture.

The picture was filmed at the marine flying field at North Island, San Diego, Calif. It is the only transportation on the Island and the distances between barracks, mess, headquarters and hangers is too great to be covered on foot.


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